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Application of: Christopher Trotta

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Art Unit: 1639

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For: TARGETING ENZYMES OF THE tRNA
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OF ANTI-FUNGAL AND/OR ANTI-
PROLIFERATIVE MOLECULES

Attorney Docket No: 10589-034-999

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT
& PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 8, 2008, in which the Examiner imposed a restriction requirement, and in accordance with the Rules of Practice, please consider the following remarks and amendments and enter them into the record for the application.

Applicant submits concurrently herewith (i) a Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for one (1) month from October 8, 2008 up to and including Saturday, November 8, 2008, with provision authorizing payment of the required fees; (ii) a Fee Transmittal sheet; and (iii) under separate transmittal, a Substitute Specification (clean and marked-up versions).

It is estimated that there are no additional fees in connection with filing this response. However, should the Patent Office determine otherwise, the Patent Office is authorized to charge any required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 503013.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

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AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL SHEET

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Sir:

The fee required to be filed with the accompanying amendment of even date herewith concerning the above-identified application has been estimated to be \$ 0.00.

The claim amendment fee has been estimated as shown below:

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TRANSMITTAL OF SUBSTITUTE SPECIFICATION

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Sir:

In connection with the Amendment filed concurrently herewith, Applicants submit herewith a Substitute Specification, both in marked-up and clean versions, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.125(c).

It is respectfully requested that the original specification for the above-identified application be replaced with the Substitute Specification submitted herewith. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.125(b), the undersigned states that the Substitute Specification submitted herewith includes no new matter.

No fee is believed to be due in connection with this submission. Should any fee be required, however, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013.

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